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Denali Training Fund Quarterly Progress Report

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Name of Organization: Tanana Chiefs Conference
Name of Project: Denali Youth – Employability skills and Training ref# 796193
Reporting Period: January 1 – March 31, 2010
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Expenditures to date:
Certification: I certify that the information in this report is current, correct and true and in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement. Signed by:
1. In a few sentences, please describe the scope of your project: Our project is to train youth for the Dental Assistant program offered through UAF and Wildland Firefighting Training offered through BLM and provide

2. Project Activities for this Reporting Period:

outreach for those programs.

Describe the grant activities that happened during this report period. Include planning, advertisement and/or training performance that occurred this quarter? List any accomplishments achieved. (Attach advertisements if applicable)

We trained 12 youth in the Wildland Firefighter D110 Dispatch training. 83% of the students passed—only 3 did not pass. The instructors issued task books which gives the youth a chance to work for a few days and complete the tasks. Once complete, they are eligible for hire providing an opening is available. They would be a trainee status.

3. Scheduled Project Activities/Important Dates for next quarter:

Describe your planned activities and training for next few months. Please include important dates like graduation, site visits, travel, job fairs, etc. This grant has ended on 3/31/10. We have no activities planned.

- 4. a. How many are in your training program during this reporting period?
- b. How many people have been trained and/or certified to date from this grant? 63

(Please complete form below.)

5. Please list complete the list by putting the community to which each individual trained is from, the type of training and certification, the graduation date and who will employ them upon completion of training.

Community where trainee lives	Type of Training/S ervice	Type of Certification to be earned/earned	Dates of training	Graduation Date	Employment commitment after training is complete
Tok	D110 Dispatch Recorder	Recorder	3/29/10 – 3/30/10	3/30/10	When High fire danger is up, youth will be firs to be considered for employment
Tok	D110 Dispatch	Expanded Dispatch Recorder	3/29/10 – 3/30/10	3/30/10	When High fire danger is up
Tanacross	D110 Dispatch	Expanded Dispatch Recorder	3/29/10 – 3/30/10	3/30/10	When High fire danger is up
Northway	D110 Dispatch	Expanded Dispatch Recorder	3/29/10 – 3/30/10	3/30/10	When High fire danger is up
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Tetlin	D110 Dispatch		3/29/10 - 3/30/10	3/30/10	When High fire danger is up
Northway	D110 Dispatch	Expanded Dispatch Recorder	3/29/10 – 3/30/10	3/30/10	When High fire danger is up
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Tok	Dispatch	Recorder	3/30/10		is up
		Expanded Dispatch Recorder	3/29/10 — 3/30/10	3/30/10	When High fire danger is up

Please copy and use another sheet if you need more spaces.

6. Please identify any problems or changes in your training project that will affect the budget, scope or timeline of the project. Is your training on schedule? What are the reasons for any difficulties or delays? Are you over budget/under budget? Have you had to change the initial scope?

Please provide an explanation to this change and your resolution to the variance. No changes. Difficulties were communication with Tok Fire Service, but we sat down together and discussed what we could have done differently. We are under budget and we had to change the initial training.

- 7. How are you or will you be evaluating the individuals being trained to ensure competency, skill level and understanding? (Testing, assessment, etc) We tested, took attendance and received feedback from instructors.
- 8. Please identify areas that we can assist you in the future. none